CHAPTER NO. 16

SENATE BILL NO. 369

By Crutchfield, Harper, Kyle, Dixon

Substituted for: House Bill No. 326

By Brown, Sharp, Stulce, Brenda Turner, McAfee, Wood, Armstrong

AN ACT Providing for directional signs on Interstate I-124 in Hamilton County for the Chattanooga African American Museum.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, it shall be the duty of the Department of Transportation to erect and maintain directional signs at sites and facilities of educational and cultural interest to the citizens of the state, including the erection of such signs for the Chattanooga African American Museum at Exit 1 (Martin Luther King Boulevard, East 9th Street, downtown Chattanooga), on Interstate I-124 in Hamilton County.

SECTION 2. The erection of such directional signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

SECTION 3. This act shall become operative only if the federal highway administrator advises the Commissioner of Transportation in writing that the provisions of this act shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: March 8, 1999

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 17th day of March 1999

DON SONOTOUIST, GOVERNOR